

4 May 1964

MEMORANDUM FOR: CCPC Members

SUBJECT : CCPC Review of Intelligence Coverage of Communist China and North Korea

REFERENCE : Memorandum to Chairman, CCPC, from DCM dated 29 April 1964, same subject (copy attached)

1. As you will note in attached copy of reference, the DCM has requested the CCPC to review the community's intelligence activities directed against Communist China and North Korea. To implement this latest charge on the Committee, the following procedures are suggested:

a. Formation of CCPC Working Groups with general representation from the Committee membership and chaired as follows:

- (1) Communist China - DIA
- (2) North Korea - _____

b. These Working Groups to be tasked to (a) report to the Committee on the effectiveness of U.S. intelligence activities in being or programmed to cover the military, economic, scientific, technical and political situation in Communist China and North Korea; and (b) develop recommendations for improvement where such action appears to be justified.

c. In their examination of the quality and effectiveness of intelligence activities targeted against the Chinese and North Korea communist establishment, and especially in formulating recommendations for improving intelligence operations, the Working Groups will be asked to weigh as practicable any proposed actions in terms of (a) cost factors; and, (b) possible realignment of priorities resulting from revised tasking of U.S. intelligence assets currently dealing with the problem.

d. The reports of the Working Groups will be submitted to the Committee and used as the basis for CCPC's report and recommendations to USIB.

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2. Assuming that there will be general agreement by the Committee on the procedure outlined above, it is recommended that a deadline for completion of the Working Group action and submittal of its report to OCEC be set for the week beginning _____.



Major General, USAF
Chairman, CCPC

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